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SUBJECT: REIMBURSABLE TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE: KUWAIT

MEW REQUEST FOR NBS EXPERT

REF: (A) STATE 8650 (B) STATE 250452

1. AFTER ALLOWING MEW TIME TO READ AND REVIEW NBS REPORT, EMBOFF TELEPHONED ASSISTANT UNDERSECRETARY ABDULLA DAKHEEL AL-RASHEED FEBRUARY 11 AND ASKED ABOUT MEW'S REACTION TO REPORT. ALTHOUGH REPORT WAS GENERALLY SATISFACTORY, MEW APPARENTLY DISAPPOINTED THAT CERTAIN QUESTIONS REMAINED UNANSWERED. MEW CURRENTLY COMPLETING REVIEW AND WILL COMMUNICATE FORMALLY WITH EMBASSY SOON, PERHAPS WITHIN WEEK, REGARDING NEXT STEP. RASHEED WOULD NOT SAY ONE WAY OR ANOTHER WHETHER GOK WILL WANT NBS EXPERTS TO VISIT KUWAIT.

2. COMMENT: IT SEEMS MEW FELT IT COULD NOT WAIT TO RECEIVE NBS REPORT BEFORE TAKING CERTAIN STEPS TO SOLVE PROBLEMS. AS DEPT AWARE MEW HAD HOPED TO RECEIVE REPORT OR AT LEAST INTERIM REPORTS SEVERAL WEEKS AGO. THIS ACTION ON THEIR PART MAY HAVE SOME BEARING ON THEIR READING OF NBS REPORT. RASHEED TOLD EMBOFF HE DISCUSSED THESE MATTERS WITH NBS OFFICIAL WHO PHONED KUWAIT FEW DAYS AGO.

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